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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant(s) : James M. Thommes
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Title : Method And Apparatus For Receiving A
Universal Input Voltage In A Welding Power
Source

Group/Art Unit : 2182
Examiner : Shaw, C.

Docket No. : ITW 7188.62

AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE

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Commissioner For Patents
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Dear Sir:

This is in response to the Examiner's Action of July 2, 2003. It is believed that no extension of time is needed, but should one be needed, please consider this a petition therefor, and charge deposit account number 500599 the appropriate fee. Please amend the above-referenced application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 9 of this paper.



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Herewith is an amendment for the application identified above, in response to the Office Action of July 2, 2003.

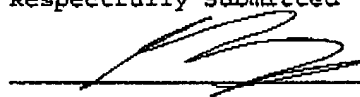
FEE CALCULATION, CLAIMS AS AMENDED:

	Claims after amendment	Previously paid for		Present Extra		Additional Fee
All claims:	35 minus 21	=	14	X	\$18.00 =	\$252.00
Ind. claims:	5 minus 3	=	2	X	\$84.00 =	\$168.00

TOTAL ADDITIONAL FEE: \$420.00

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Respectfully Submitted


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